(a) yes, Sir.

(b) to (d) The Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi had reported that the provisions of Section 81 of Delhi Land Reforms Act, 1954 are not applicable on the land allotted under the 20 point programme and as such no notice is issued.

Policy to remove / check illegal encroachments in Delhi

887. MISS FRIDA TOPNO: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have evolved any policy to remove / check illegal encroachments in Delhi;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the number of complaints received by Government in this regard;

(d) whether Government have received the complaints of Budhela Welfare Association (Regd.), New Delhi regarding public nuisance due to illegal encroachments and dumping of rubbish in village pond situated east of Charak Sadan (Vikas Puri), New Delhi; and

(e) if so, the steps taken or proposed to be taken by Government for cleanliness and providing planned infrastructure after removing encroachments in this area?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA): (a) and (b) The Government have been issuing instructions to local bodies including DDA and also the other land owning agencies, from time to time, for removal of encroachments and also for taking effective steps to protect their lands from encroachments.

(c) The concerned agencies have reported that as and when complaints of encroachments are received, action is taken to remove them under the relevant laws.

(d) and (e) DDA has reported to have received the complaint. Action to remove the encroachment has been taken by DDA on 5.10.2001. Further development of the land and pond is to be governed by the provisions of Master Plan-2001.

Heavy Loss to DDA

888. SHRI KHAGEN DAS: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state: